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REMARKS

By this Amendment claim 1 has been amended to define a claimed method of canceling feedback in a hearing aid. Entry is requested.

In the outstanding Office Action the examiner has set forth a restriction requirement under 35 U.S.C. 121 between claims 6-7 (Group I invention) and claims 1-5 (Group II invention).

It is believed that since this application is a U.S. national phase of PCT/DK00/00379, the proper evaluation must involve a determination of "unity of invention."

By this Amendment claim 1 has been redirected to a hearing aid. As such, claims 1-7 are believed to be directed to a unified invention. Thus, although the applicants elect the Group II invention, in fact all of claims 1-7 should be examined together.

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